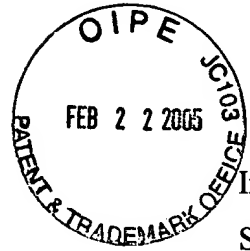


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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION OF 11/18/2004

Dear Examiner Gelagay:

This Amendment and Response addresses the Office Action which was mailed on November 18, 2004.